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In re Application of

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Data-Processing Unit with a Circuit Arrangement

for Connecting a First Communications Bus with

a Second Communications Bus

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Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set forth in the Office Action of January 29, 2004. Please charge the amount of \$110 in payment of the government fee for a one-month extension of time for extending the period for response to May 29, 2004 (a Saturday followed by a National Holiday on Monday) to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

In response to the Office Action dated January 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

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